

**CO National Guard  
State Tuition Assistance  
Eligible Schools**

Adams State University  
Aims Community College  
Arapahoe Community College  
Arapahoe-Douglas Career & Technical School  
Colorado Mesa University  
Colorado Mountain College  
Colorado Northwestern Community College  
Colorado School of Mines  
Colorado State University- Ft. Collins  
Colorado State University- GLOBAL  
Colorado State University -Pueblo  
Community College of Aurora  
Community College of Denver  
Delta-Montrose Area Vocational Technical  
Center A.V.S.  
Emily Griffith Technical School  
Fort Lewis College  
Front Range Community College  
Lamar Community College  
Metropolitan State University of Denver  
Morgan Community College  
Northeastern Junior College  
Otero Junior College  
Pickens Technical College  
Pikes Peak Community College  
Pueblo Community College  
Red Rocks Community College  
Southwest Colorado Community College  
Trinidad State Junior College  
University of Colorado at Boulder  
University of Colorado at Colorado Springs  
University of Colorado at Denver  
Western State Colorado University  
University of Colorado Health Sciences Center  
University of Northern Colorado

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**COLORADO NATIONAL GUARD  
STATE TUITION ASSISTANCE**





## Do I qualify for CO National Guard State Tuition Assistance?

1. Have you served at least 6 months in the CO National Guard?

**Or**

Are you an approved transfer? (If yes, continue)

2. Are you attending a Colorado state funded school?

(See the list of eligible schools on the back).

3. Do you currently have a 2.0 or higher Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)?

**Or**

Are you a brand new student? (If yes, continue)

4. Does your Expiration Term of Service (ETS) *end on* or *after* the last day of your semester?

5. Would your Commanding Officer certify that you are satisfactorily performing as a CO National Guard member?

**If you answered YES to ALL the numbered questions above, you may be eligible!**



## How do I apply?

APPLY ONLINE EVERY SEMESTER AT:

[www.colorado.gov/dmva](http://www.colorado.gov/dmva)

Refer to the list of sessions below to determine what semester your classes fall in. **Application deadlines are posted on our website.**

**Summer '15 Session** - If your classes *start* between:  
May 1st– July 31st

**Fall '15 Session** - If your classes *start* between:  
August 1st–December 31st

**Spring '16 Session** - If your classes *start* between:  
January 1st– April 30th

**\*CSU Global Students please refer to the application guide available online\***

**You will need to attach several documents to your online application!**

***See the Student's Corner Section on our website for a complete guide to applying, including a document checklist.***

**SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION WITH:  
ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION ATTACHED  
BY THE DEADLINE POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE!**

**YOUR APPLICATION IS NOT SUBMITTED AND WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED UNTIL YOU RECEIVE A CONGRATULATIONS SCREEN! KEEP A COPY OF THIS PAGE FOR YOUR RECORDS!**



## FAQ's

**Q.** How much can I receive?

**A.** Up to 100% of your **tuition only**, after the Colorado Opportunity Fund Stipend is applied (depending on the school). This program **does not** pay fees, books or living expenses.

**Funds are only issued to schools, not applicants.**

**Q.** Is there a cap on how many times I can receive CO National Guard State Tuition Assistance?

**A.** Yes, 132 semester hours or 8 calendar years, whichever is reached first.

**Q.** Is there a cap on how much I can receive in a semester/trimester?

**A.** Yes. \$475 per credit hour or \$4,250 per semester/trimester.

**Q.** If I receive a grant or scholarship that is applied towards to my tuition, will that impact my eligibility for CO National Guard State Tuition Assistance?

**A.** Yes. Any grant or scholarship that is being applied towards your tuition, may reduce your eligibility. Student loans are not considered a grant or scholarship and will not be counted against your eligibility.

**Q.** If I apply for CO National Guard State Tuition Assistance and also Federal Tuition Assistance (GOARMYED), can I use both sources to pay for my schooling? What about my GI Bill?

**A.** Yes, in some cases. CO National Guard State Tuition Assistance will be applied towards your tuition first. You can apply for Federal TA (GOARMYED) on your remaining tuition balance. Or, you can apply for GI Bill funding.

**Tuition paid from any tuition assistance source cannot exceed 100%.**

**GI Bill funding and Federal TA (GOARMYED) cannot be used simultaneously for the same courses.**

**Q.** How will I know if I have been approved?

**A.** The CO National Guard State Tuition Assistance office will send you an estimated authorization letter via your preferred email address, listed on your online application.

